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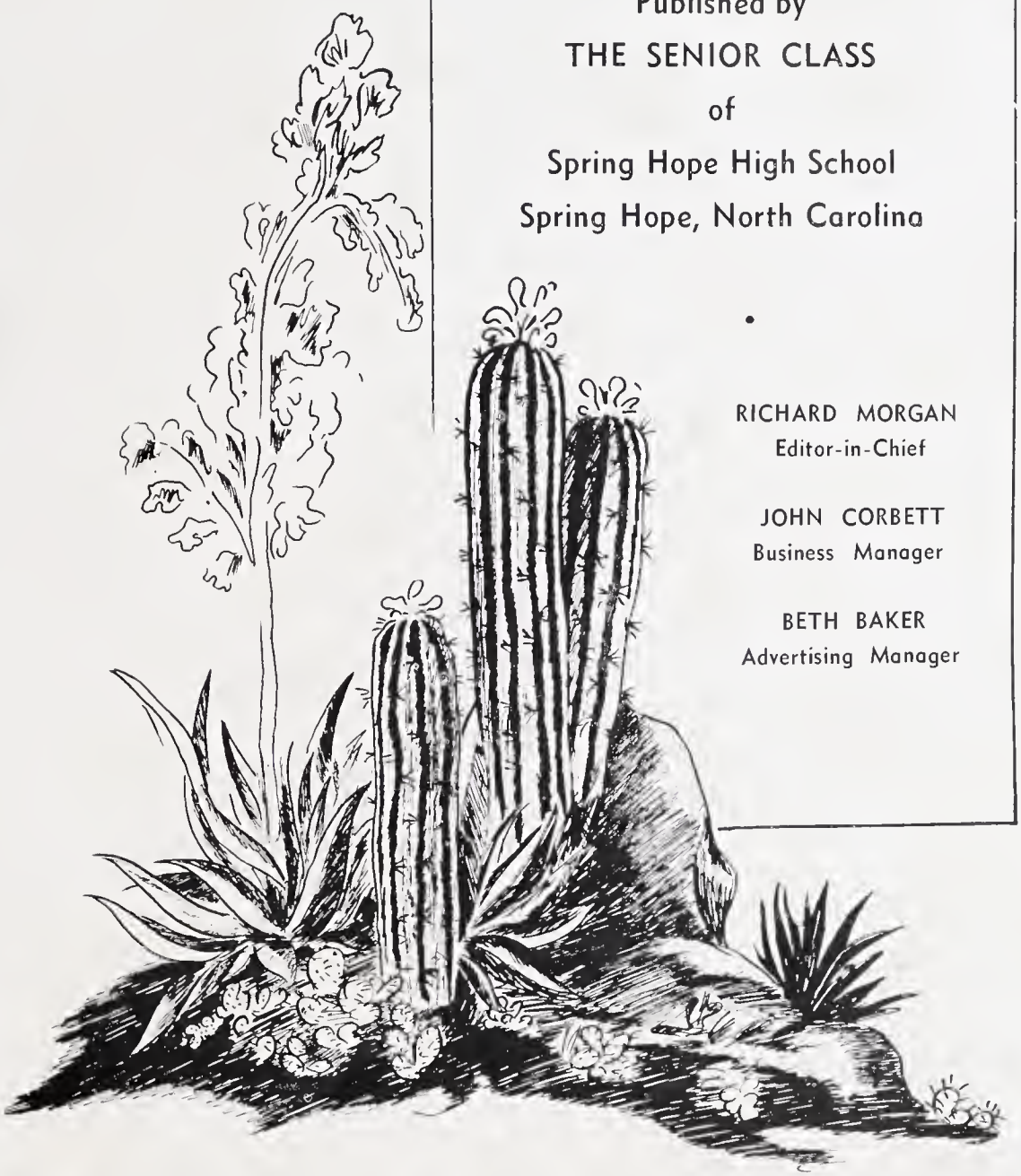

FOREWORD

In this book we have endeavored to present an interpretation of a year at Spring Hope High School—to bring a small part of our happy days spent here to you, the reader, and to keep alive for us, the Senior Class of 1949, all the precious memories that these days have held.

Miss Grace Quinn

Miss Sara Starr

DEDICATION

We, the Seniors of the 1948-49 class, dedicate this edition of Memoirs to Miss Sara Starr and Miss Grace Quinn, our home room teachers and staff advisers. They have so willingly and generously devoted their time and efforts in making this edition of Memoirs a successful project. Through this dedication we express our deepest and most sincere appreciation.

ELEMENTARY BUILDING

AGRICULTURAL BUILDING

Mr. M. V. Parrish
Principal
A.B., M.A., Wake Forest College

Mr. M. V. Parrish has served as principal of Spring Hope High School for the past eleven years. During his time here he has advocated honesty, sportsmanship, better education, and the finer points of school life. His years of service to Spring Hope High are like "well chosen words in a well ordered line."

HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY

Mrs. Marshbourne, A.B., East Carolina Teachers College.
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Commercial

Sara Starr, A.B., Brenau, Gainesville, Georgia.
English

SCHOOL BOARD

Charles Brantley, *Chairman* J. T. Edwards D. L. Lyles
S. P. Bass Charles Finch

SENIOR CLASS OFFICERS

COLEMAN BRANTLEY
President

RICHARD MORGAN
Vice-President

JOYCE BOONE
Secretary

JERRY FARMER
Treasurer

Motto: Not finished, just begun

Class Flower: Red Rose

Class Colors: Red and White

CLASS SONG

Graduation makes us blue
Cause our High School Days are through
How we long to be with you,
Dear Spring Hope High.

Every day we'll reminisce
Thinking of the things we'll miss,
How our hearts belong with you,
Dear Spring Hope High.

A million years it will seem
Have gone by since we shared those dreams,
But we'll always love you
With a heart so fond and true.

Though the skies be gray or blue
We will always think of you
And the things we used to do
At Spring Hope High.

—GRETCHEN LAMM.

FAREWELL

The time has finally arrived
When from school we say farewell
Although for some
Colleges will toll their welcome bells.

Soon we'll be looking to the future
And brighter days ahead
Graduation, call it a joy word,
Don't think back, and no tears shall you shed.

Let us not take time now to reminisce,
For graduation time has drawn nigh,
Because looking back to our twelve happy years
Will only make us sigh.

Farewell, a word of many meanings.
For us, we may use it a little too slack,
Because we don't mean good-by forever,
We'll be back.

With all our sadness at this time
May our chest proudly swell
When to dear old Spring Hope High
We sadly say, farewell, farewell.

—JOHN CORBETT.

Top row, left to right:

BETH DIXON BAKER

"She's always full of fun and joy, a favorite with any girl or boy."

Glee Club 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; F.H.A. Club; Piano 1, 2; Vice-President 2; Monogram 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Superlative 4; Athletic Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

KARL BARBEE

"Were there no women, men might live like gods."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Co-Captain 4; Agriculture 2, 3, 4; Reporter 3; Treasurer 4; Class President 2; Vice-President 3; MEMOIRS Staff 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; 4-H Club President 4.

STANDLEY BASS

"Roll on old world and I'll roll with you."

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Vice-President 4; Baseball 3, 4; Bus Driver 4.

Bottom row:

JOYCE BOONE

"And still they looked, and still their wonder grew— How one brown head could carry all she knew."

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; President 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2; Secretary 2; Library 1; Piano 2; Marshal 3; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; Office 4; Class Secretary 4; Superlative; Historian 4.

COLEMAN BRANTLEY

"High erected thoughts seated in a heart of courtesy."

"Dirty Dozen" Club 2; 4-H Club 3; Class President 4; Superlative 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; Beta Club 4.

GAYNELL BULLUCK

"Silence is the mother of truth."

F.H.A. Club 1; Foreign Relations 2; Science Club 3; Chief Marshal 3; Beta Club 3; MEMOIRS Staff 4; *Hope 'n Print* 4.

Top row, left to right:

IRIS BUNN

"As large as life and twice as natural."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; F.H. A. Club 1, 2; Bible Club 1; Piano 1; Monogram Club 3; Athletic Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

JACKIE COCKRELL

"Dignity increases more easily than it begins."

F.H.A. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Secretary 1; Treasurer 3; President 4; Student Council 2; Runner-up in Popularity Contest 3; Superlative 4.

MYRTLE GRAHAM COLLIE

"How the wit brightens!
How the style refines!"

4-H Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Librarian 3; Monogram Club 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic Club 1, 2, 3, 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Superlative 4; Office Assistant 4.

Bottom row:

CARL THOMAS COOLEY

"Silence is more elegant than words."

Foreign Relations Club 1; Football 3, 4; "Dirty Dozen" Club 2; Glee Club 4, *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4.

CARL COPPEDGE

"To worry little, to study less
Is my idea of happiness."

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter 4; Baseball 4.

JOHN CORBETT

"He'll find a way."

Bible Club 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; "Dirty Dozen" Club 2; Athletic Club 3, 4; Glee Club 4; MEMOIRS 3, 4; Business Manager 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Baseball 4; Bus Driver 4; Poet 4.

Top row, left to right:

WILLIAMEAN CREEKMORE

"I take life as it comes and enjoy it."

Glee Club 1, 2; Bible Club 1; F.H.A. Club 2, 3; Science Club 3; Library 4.

MILDRED DENTON

"Bashful sincerity and comely love."

F.H.A. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 3.

RACHEL EDWARDS

"A good heart is better than all the heads in the world."

F.H.A. Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Librarian 3, 4; Dramatics Club 1.

Bottom row:

JERRY FARMER

"To be honest, as this world goes, is to be one man picked out of ten thousand."

Beta Club 2, 3, 4; Class Vice-President 2; Class President 3; Marshal 3; Basketball 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4; Glee Club 4; Business Manager *Hope 'n Print* 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; Superlative 4.

DAVID RAY FINCH

"All we ask is to be let alone."

Dramatics Club 1; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Foreign Relations Club 2; Piano 2; "Dirty Dozen" Club 3; Glee Club 4.

GERALD GREEN

"I am not only witty in myself, but the cause that wit is in other men."

Foreign Relations Club 1; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Glee Club 4; 4-H Club 2, 3; Superlative 4; Monogram Club 3, 4.

Top row, left to right:

BETSY CAROL JACKSON

"A cheerful look makes a feast."

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Cheerleader 3; F.H.A. 1, 2; Treasurer; *Hope 'n Print* Staff, Editor; MEMOIRS Staff, Typist; Dramatic 1; Piano 1, 2, 3.

RUDY JOHNSON

"A little nonsense now and then is relished by the best of men."

Foreign Relations Club 1; "Dirty Dozen" Club 2; 4-H Club 2, 3; Marshal 3; Basketball 4.

GRETCHEN LAMM

"Music is the universal language of mankind."

Athletic Club 1; F.H.A. Club 1, 2; Winner of Popularity Contest 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Piano 1, 2, 3, 4; Voice 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary and Treasurer 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Class song writer 4.

Bottom row:

MARY ELLEN LAMM

"Youth only comes once in a lifetime."

Bible Club 1; F.H.A. Club 1, 4; Treasurer 4; Glee Club 3, 4; "Dirty Dozen" Club 3; 4-H Club 1, 4; Superlative.

DORIS MANNING

"Nothing succeeds so well as success."

F.H.A. Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 3; MEMOIRS Staff 3, 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Librarian 4; Superlative 4.

MARY MATTHEWS

"Silence is more musical than any song."

F.H.A. Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

Top row, left to right:

RACHEL MATTHEWS

"With her eyes in flood with laughter."

Transfer from Castalia; Basketball 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4.

PATRICIA MAY

"To live on still in love."

Glee Club 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; Monogram Club 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Athletic, Captain 3; Cheerleader 3, 4; Office Assistant 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4.

RICHARD MORGAN

"To a man who himself strives earnestly God also lends a helping hand."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3; Class Treasurer 3; Monogram Club 3, 4; Marshal 3, Class Vice-President 4; Glee Club 4; MEMOIRS Staff 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief 4; Superlative 4; Class Prophet 4.

Bottom row:

DELLA PRIDGEN

"A laugh is worth a hundred groans in any market."

Home Ec. Club 1, 2; Leggett High School; Foreign Relations Club 4.

ROXIE MARGARET RICH

"Great thought came from the heart."

Transfer from Castalia High School; Basketball 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4.

ELAINE SAUNDERS

"Happy am I; from cares; I'm free; Why aren't they all like me?"

Dramatic Club 1; Basketball 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Piano 1, 2, 3, Bible Club 2; Foreign Relations 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Office 4.

Top row, left to right:

DURWARD STALLINGS

"Did nothing in particular,
And did it well."

Foreign Relations Club 1; "Dirty Dozen" 2; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 4; Monogram Club 3, 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; Glee Club 4; Library Club 4.

BETTY SWANSON

"Like a circle ending never,
Does my mirth go on forever."

F.H.A. Club 1, 4; Song Leader 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff, Reporter and Typist, 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; Superlative; Athletics Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Office 4.

MILDRED ANN SYKES

"As full of spirit as the month of May."

F.H.A. 1, 4; Secretary; Basketball 1, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; President 1; "Dirty Dozen" Club 3; Office 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; Superlative.

Bottom row:

ELIZABETH TANT

"A carefree heart is a good endowment."

Transfer from Bunn High School 2; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. Club 1, 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Foreign Relations Club 4.

MILTON LARENCE TURNER

"Speech is silver,
Silence is golden."

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 4; Glee Club 2; Bus Driver 2, 4; F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

JEAN TYSON

"A thing of beauty is a joy forever."

Bible Club 1; Piano 1; 4-H Club 1, 2; F.H.A. 1, 2; Athletic Club 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Librarian 3; MEMOIRS Staff 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Superlative 4.

Top row, left to right:

YVONNE WHEELER

"Thy modesty is a candle to thy virtue."

Nashville High School 1; F.H.A. Club 2, 3; Foreign Relations Club 4; Glee Club 4.

BERTIE MAE WHITLEY

"As we advance in life,
We learn the limits of our abilities."

Bible Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Foreign Relations Club 2; Librarian 3, 4; MEMOIRS Staff 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4.

GLENN WINSTEAD

"I take life as it comes and enjoy it."

Bible Club 1; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Glee Club 4.

Bottom row:

ROSEMARY WOOD

"Far from the gay cities,
And the ways of men."

Bible Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Foreign Relations Club 2, Librarian 3, 4.

NAOMI WOOD

BRUCE WOODARD

"From all reports
He's the best of sports."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; President 3; Bus Driver 4; Glee Club 4; *Hope 'n Print* Staff 4; Monogram Club; Superlative 4.

PROPHECY

I have been working for a publication company for the past few years without a vacation. My boss, being a stern businessman, but having a kind heart, decided to send me on a cross country trip to pick up some human interest stories and at the same time get a vacation.

It so happened that my trip included North Carolina. This, I liked very much, knowing that I probably would see some old friends.

While traveling on a new eight lane highway, I noticed an increase in the traffic and a great many lights of all colors in the distance. As I approached the city from whence all this activity came I was dazed with bewilderment. This couldn't be Momeyer, but after questioning a by-stander, I learned that Spring Hope and Momeyer had grown until they had combined to form the city of Springmeyer.

Here in Springmeyer I learned that Carl Coppedge, Standley Bass, and Milton Turner owned one of the largest wholesale farm implement concerns in the South. Coleman Brantley, having graduated from U.N.C. Med. School, was one of the town's leading physicians. Rudy Johnson had chosen the field of science also and was the city's chemical engineer.

Feeling a little tired from my trip and needing some recreation I went in a nearby billiard parlor and bowling alley combined. To my surprise there sat "Red" Winstead and John Corbett. After much handshaking and backslapping we settled down to a game. "Red" and John told me that this was one among a chain of such recreation centers owned by Karl Barbee, Durward Stallings, and Gerald Green.

Being a little sleepy I decided to go to my hotel and retire for the night. Upon entering I saw Jackie Cockrell talking to the desk clerk. Before I could speak she went in an office marked "private." I learned from the clerk that she was now Mrs. Farmer, wife of the owner, Mr. Jerry Farmer.

The next morning I entered the hotel dining room for breakfast. Here I found Carl Cooley employed as head waiter with Elaine Saunders, Rosemary Wood, and Bertie Mae Whitley on his staff. As I started to leave I noticed a girl who was so bedecked in the latest styles that she caused me to stare, I'm afraid. Then I recognized her. It was Jean Tyson, now in the Modeling business. I asked her about some of the girls we knew in school and she told me Betsy Jackson was now Mrs. Lamm, wife of a local farmer. Jean also told me that Gretchen Lamm and Myrtle Collie were torch singers in local nightclubs. She went on to say that Patricia May was now Mrs. Wood and the mother of several little "splinters." Then I got a laugh when Jean told me that Iris Bunn was working in a ladies' store selling girdles and giving experienced advice to ladies who found their proportions out of proportion.

Noticing the time, I hurried to a nearby telephone to make a call. When the operator asked for my number her voice sounded familiar and I asked her name. It was Rachel Edwards. She told me that Roxie Rich, Rachel Matthews, and Mary Matthews were all operators. After making my call I went over to the hospital for treatment of an earache which I had acquired from hearing so much news. At the hospital I found Mildred Sykes to be the receptionist and Doris Manning the head nurse. Under her supervision were serving Della Pridgen, Yvonne Wheeler, and Williamean Creekmore, all capable nurses. From these girls I learned that Joyce Boone and Mildred Denton held important secretarial jobs there in the hospital. They also told me that Beth Baker was teaching the third grade in a nearby school. Then came the surprise of the day when I was told that after a long courtship David Finch and Gaynell Bulluck decided to make it a twosome.

Leaving the hospital I noticed a sign advertising a professional football game. Coaching one of the participating teams was Bruce Woodard. Another advertisement on the billboard read "For Better Interior Decorating, Consult Miss Mary Ellen Lamm."

With my vacation time limited I hurried on, content and happy in knowing that all my classmates had found happiness and security in this fastly growing universe.

RICHARD MORGAN,
Class Prophet.

CLASS HISTORY

Today, as seniors, we look forward to our graduation for which we have waited four years. We face the unchartered future, not knowing what it holds in store for us, but we face the future with courage because of the foundation we have begun to build at Spring Hope High.

As we approach the time when our high school days shall be no more, it is fitting and proper that we should record some of the things that have stood out in our memories, because someday our high school days will be our dearest memories.

It was in September 1945 that a group of about seventy round-eyed, staring freshmen assembled at Spring Hope High to start our high school days together. We were enthusiastic over the prospect of high school; we were embarrassed at our foolish mistakes; we were ambitious, looking forward to the day when we would no longer be the goat of the school. With the aid of our teachers, Mr. Ben Musser and Mr. E. F. Mumford, we completed the first year of our high school career.

September '46 found us not as underdogs but as high and mighty sophomores. As usual a small number did not return but we put on our wise look and settled down. We had now truly become a part of the ideals and spirit of Spring Hope High. In a whirl of self-exultation we passed through the year. Our sophomore teachers were Miss Ruby Bailey and Dr. Edgar Jenkings. We were under the leadership of Jerry Farmer, President; Karl Barbee, Vice-President; and Beth Baker, Secretary-Treasurer.

Having finished the half-way mark in our high school career we entered the third year as an easy, gay, carefree group—typical of all juniors. There were many thrilling events to look forward to—football, basketball, class rings, the Junior-Senior Banquet at Club Carlyle, the class party given by our grade mothers at the Community Building and the unforgettable trip to Washington, D. C. chaperoned by Miss Eleanor Herring and Mrs. Johnnie Sledge. The year was one furious round of fun, work, and excitement. One event followed so close upon another that the year rolled by and before any of us realized it, one of the best years we had ever known was gone.

Our junior teachers were Mrs. E. J. Gomedela and Mrs. Henry Burts. Officers for the year were: Jerry Farmer, President, Karl Barbee and Bruce Woodard, Vice - Presidents; Gretchen Lamm, Secretary; and Richard Morgan, Treasurer.

In less than four short months we were back again; rather feeling our importance. We had at last reached the goal for which we had been striving. We were seniors!

Members of our class were active in football, basketball, baseball, and various school clubs. We welcomed two new students, Rachel Matthews and Roxie Rich from Castalia. Coleman Brantley became President and led the class with the assistance of Richard Morgan, Vice-President; Joyce Boone, Secretary; and Jerry Farmer, Treasurer. Our senior advisers were Miss Grace Quinn and Miss Sara Starr.

Outstanding events of our senior year were electing our mascots, Diane Edwards and Wallace Edwards; publishing the MEMOIRS, our school annual, and the *Hope 'n Print*, our school paper; and presenting the senior play.

Suddenly there came the realization that our high school days were nearly finished. Plans for the commencement program, selecting our invitations, and scores of other activities have filled our time, and now we are nearing the final moment. Our senior year has fast come to a close. Four years of genuine pleasure and profitable work has been our reward.

To Mr. Parrish, our principal, to all our teachers and parents we wish to express our sincerest thanks for their understanding guidance, their worthy leadership, and their part in making our high school days the happiest days we have ever known.

Soon we will get our diplomas and the high school doors will close behind us as we enter different careers—college for some, life at large for all, but our high school days will be gone forever. As we now stand on the threshold of this milestone in our lives, we pause in retrospect of the days spent at Spring Hope High. We know we will miss them, yet we would not have it different, for we are proud of the things we have accomplished here.

"The moving finger writes, and having writ
Moves on; nor all your piety nor wit
Shall lure it back to cancel half a line
Nor all your tears wash out a word of it!"

JOYCE BOONE,
Historian.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA
COUNTY OF NASH

We, the 1949 Senior Class of the Spring Hope High School, possessing a supposedly high intellectual rating, having an imperturbable memory, being free from care, study and undue influence of the teachers and Mr. Parrish, desiring to eliminate all incommodious legal proceedings which are in our opinion superfluous, do hereby make, publish, and declare this to be our last will and testament, disregarding all former concessions and promises made to the school, faculty or any individual.

It is our sincere desire that the students be endowed with some of our virtues in order that they will be more competent of maintaining the cherished ideals and high standards of our school. We have therefore instructed the hereinafter named executor to install in the students, by fair means or foul, our own ambitious and high aims of life.

Article I. To our principal and the faculty we leave the students, who, eager to attain the goal we have now reached will refrain from making some of the mistakes we have made and will orderly conduct themselves under the environment of the faculty's corrective presence.

Article II. To our parents we leave our sincere thanks and gratitude for their continued efforts in helping us to reach our goals.

Article III. To the junior class we leave our experience, our dignity and our privileges, sincerely trusting that they will not be abused.

To the sophomores we leave our "stickability," to be used to help them become seniors.

To the freshmen we leave this advice on how to get along with the principal and the faculty:

1. Don't chew gum in the school building.
2. Refrain from putting Blue Waltz Perfume on certain teachers' heads, suits and coats.
3. Buy a station wagon if you plan to entertain eleven of your classmates in a vehicle during lunch.
4. Acquire a spirit of coöperation with the faculty and the principal.

Article IV. To individuals:

1. John Corbett leaves his ability to drive a bus and flirt at the same time to Perry May and Wesley Perry.
2. Richard Morgan leaves his love for bringing a car to school and getting eleven people in it to Adolphus Batchelor and Bernard Batchelor.
3. Mary Elizabeth Tant bequeaths her "fast walk" to Lucille Bass.
4. Patricia May wills her "one-man policy" to Vinette McGhee.
5. Betsy Jackson bequeaths her ability to sing to Peggy Brantley.
6. "Red" Winstead leaves his ability to get caught in the pool room to Opie Bass and Herbert Whelless.
7. Della Pridgen leaves her ability to make A's on Latin to Sammy Jackson.
8. Iris Bunn leaves a few of her pounds to Edith Turner.
9. Durward Stallings leaves his ability to skip class and appear innocent to O'Neal Bass.
10. Doris Manning bequeaths her ability to blush to Herman Summerlin.
11. Gaynell Bulluck wills her intellect and straight A's to Rebecca Boone.
12. Karl Barbee leaves his place as the idol of the 8th and 9th grade girls to Oscar Lee Tyson.
13. Bruce Woodard leaves his place on the football team to Phillip Medlin.
14. Jackie Cockrell and Jerry Farmer will their place as the senior couple to Esther Sue Parker and Paul Bass.
15. Yvonne Wheeler leaves her knowledge of how to behave in class to George Marshbourne.
16. Mary Ellen Lamm leaves her shortness to Bill Ferrell.
17. Mildred Sykes bequeaths her friendliness to Juanita Wood.
18. Mary Matthews wills her ability to make A's on geometry under Mr. Shelton to Nancy Boone.
19. Myrtle Collie leaves her ability to say something at the wrong time to Faye Proctor.
20. Coleman Brantley leaves his love for the 9th grade girls to Jerry Edwards.
21. Rachel Matthews and Roxie Rich leave their places in Mr. Parrish's heart to Virginia Johnson and Sudie Lyne Bunn.
22. Jean Tyson wills her beauty to Dorothy Cooper.
23. David Ray Finch leaves his way with the women to Alton Williams.
24. Rudy Johnson leaves his love for Blue Waltz Perfume for teachers to John Robbins.
25. Gretchen Lamm leaves her ability to flirt successfully to Frances Vester and Ida Sykes.
26. Bertie Mae Whitley leaves her ability to get the library straight and stay on good sides with Miss Herring to L. S. Gay, Jr.
27. Standley Bass leaves his ability to take a basketball player (girl) to the games to Robert Lewis and Wallace Tyson.
28. Carl Copedge transfers his books (slightly worn) to Adrian Lamm and Roscoe Boone.
29. Rosemary Wood leaves her love for bookkeeping to Peggy Sykes and Jean Murray.
30. Betty Swanson leaves her ability for ringing long shots to Walter Woodard and Harvey Stallings; now we will have a boys' team.
31. Rachel Edwards wills her ability to cook good chocolate cake to Mildred Bass and Vera Green.
32. Beth Baker leaves her ability to get her feet tangled up while playing basketball to Jack Edwards and Ronald Braswell.
33. Williamean Creekmore leaves her lily-white hands to Atlee Matthews and Lois Williams.
34. Joyce Boone leaves her dependability to Rosalene Lamm and Dorothy Duncan.
35. Mildred Denton leaves her typing ability to Louise Glover.
36. Carl Cooley leaves his artistic ability to Nelson Turner.
37. Elaine Saunders leaves her love for a football player and a Hudson to Myrtle Sykes.
38. Gerald Green wills his like for the younger girls to J. C. Baines and hopes it will apply to Jane.
39. Milton Turner leaves his love for agriculture to Bobby Brantley.

To this testimony, we, the class of 1949 do hereunto subscribe our names and suffix our seals this the thirtieth day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, nine hundred and forty-nine.

Beth Baker, *Testatrix.*

Witnesses:

Coleman Brantley, *President*
Grace Quinn and Sara Starr, *Advisers*

MASCOTS

Diane Edwards

Wallace Edwards

GRADEMOTHERS

Mrs. G. E. Lamm

Mrs. W. E. Bunn

Mrs. G. G. Farmer

Senior Glimpses

SEN
SUPER

JERRY FARMER
Best-all-round
Most dependable boy
Friendliest boy

JOYCE BOONE
Best-all-round
Most dependable girl
Most versatile

COLEMAN BRANTLEY
Most likely to suceeed

GERALD GREEN
Wittiest boy
MYRTLE COLLIE
Wittiest girl

BETH BAKER
Most popular girl

MARY ELLEN LAMM
Cutest

IOR
LATIVES

JACKIE COCKRELL
Most dignified
Best dressed

RICHARD MORGAN
Most handsome
Best dressed

JEAN TYSON
Prettiest

MILDRED SYKES
Friendliest

BRUCE WOODARD
Best sport

DORIS MANNING
Most bashful

BETTY SWANSON
Most athletic girl

KARL BARBEE
Most athletic boy

THE JUNIOR CLASS

CLASS OFFICERS

"Big" Peggy Brantley
President

Perry May
Treasurer

Oscar Tyson
Nancy Boone
Vice-Presidents

Dorothy Duncan
Secretary

JUNIOR TRIP TO WASHINGTON

Finally the day arrived and we were on the bus and then the bus pulled off on our long awaited trip to Washington. Our first sightseeing stop was at Mt. Vernon and then on to Washington we went. There was just so much to see!! There was the Congressional Library, the Capitol, the White House, Washington Monument, the Museums, Art Galleries, and the Treasury with all its money, just to mention a few of the places to be seen. Then the time descended upon us all too quickly for our return trip which was broken by a stop in Richmond, Virginia, for a short look at the capitol and a few other places of interest. Spring Hope rolled into view and it was nice to get back.

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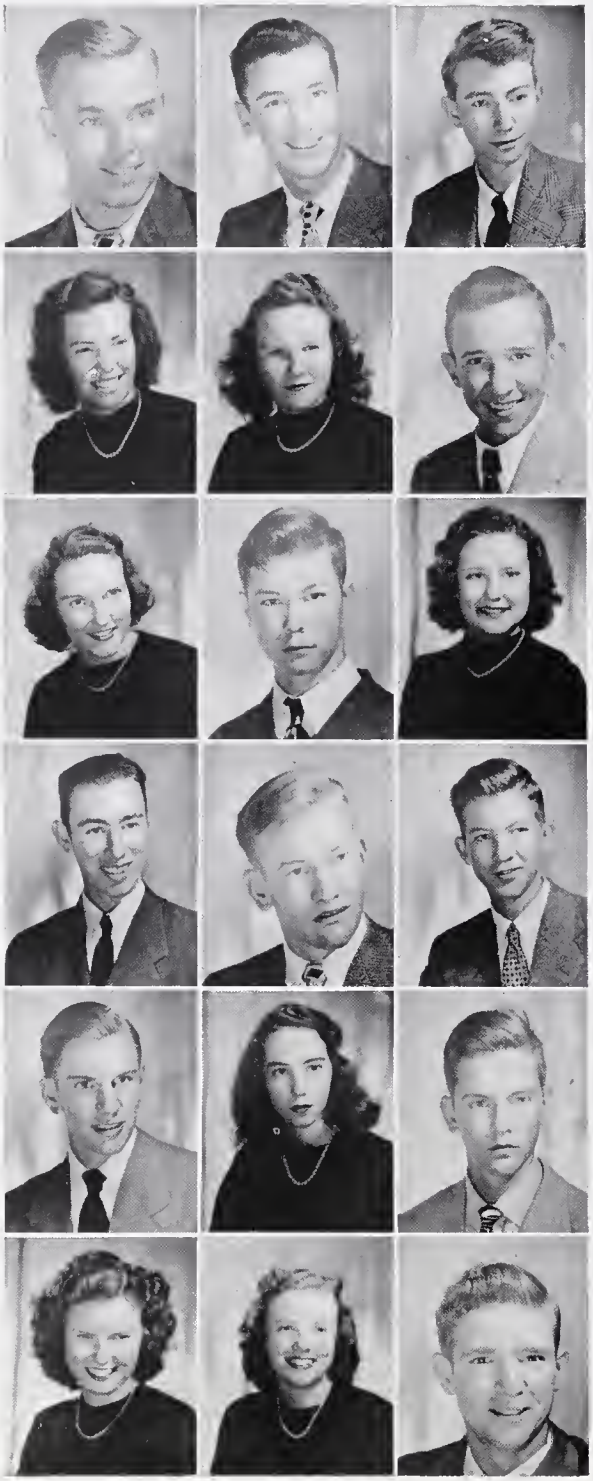

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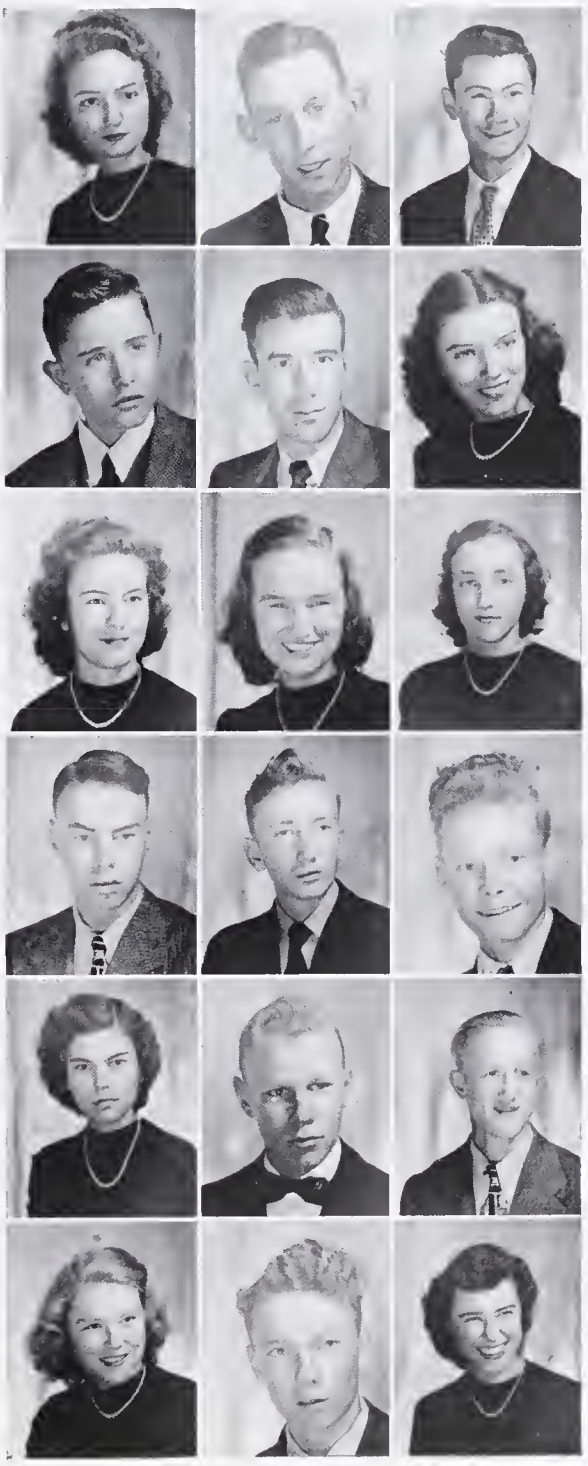

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FOOTBALL

Spring Hope High had a none too prosperous season this year due to "green" material. Last year's graduation left us only four returning lettermen. The season's record was 2 won, 6 lost, and 1 tied.

What the team lacked in experience they made up in spirit. Coach C. W. Morgan did a good job with his boys and should be commended for his hard work and untiring efforts.

Next year quite a few of the first year boys will be back ready to use the valuable experience they got this year. Coach Morgan says he is looking for a much stronger team next fall than he had this year.

SCHEDULE

Henderson B	0	Spring Hope	25
Dunn	20	Spring Hope	0
Warrenton	19	Spring Hope	6
Zebulon	6	Spring Hope	6
Rich Square	14	Spring Hope	13
Littleton	13	Spring Hope	6
Apex	12	Spring Hope	6
Tarboro	7	Spring Hope	14
Angier	6	Spring Hope	0

THE SCRUBS

They sit along the sideline
And watch the others play,
Each listening quite intently
To what the coach may say.

With eager eyes they're watching
For one more chance to play;
They're watching every movement,
Their voices loud and gay.

The Scrubs are seldom mentioned,
But when they're called upon
They're always up and ready
And play 'til all is done.

When of our team we're thinking,
And talking of their fame,
Our Scrubs will be remembered;
We'll always prize their name.

Unknown.

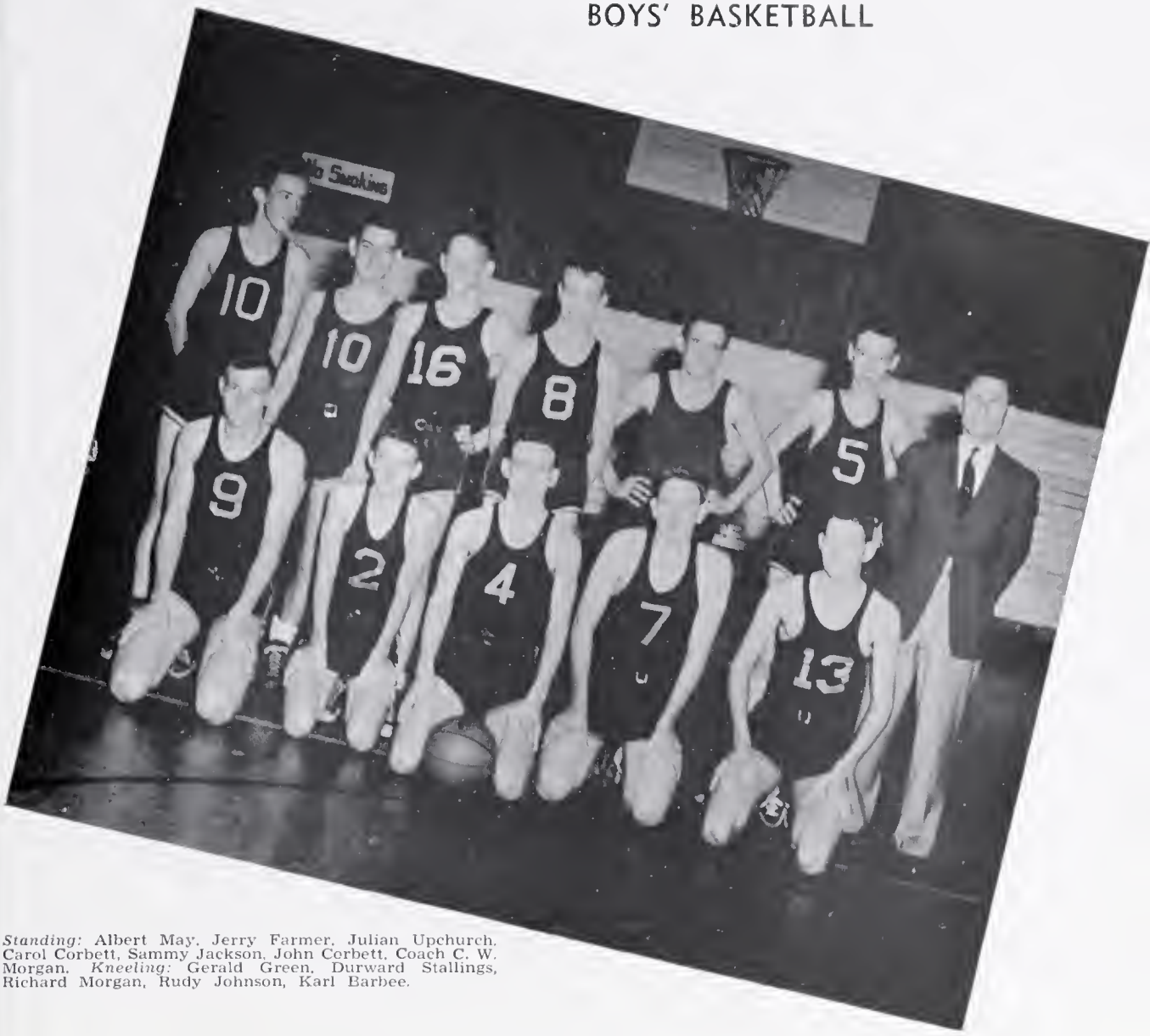
GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Standing: Mary Leigh Brantley, Winnie Edwards, Jackie Stancill, Irene Privette, Phyllis May, Lucille Bass, Alice Swanson, Marlene Price, Roxie Rich, Jean Cone. *Kneeling:* Rachel Matthews, Faye Proctor, Peggy Brantley, Myrtle Collie, Patricia May, Betty Swanson, Virginia Johnson, Annie Vince May, Beth Baker, Iris Bunn.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE '49 SEASON

Spring Hope	23	Edward Best	15
Spring Hope	35	Coopers	20
Spring Hope	15	Bailey	19
Spring Hope	31	Louisburg	28
Spring Hope	24	Bunn	29
Spring Hope	16	Red Oak	23
Spring Hope	18	Middlesex	28
Spring Hope	49	Warrenton	9
Spring Hope	26	Whitakers	20
Spring Hope	26	Louisburg	26
Spring Hope	28	Coopers	14
Spring Hope	34	Nashville	50

BOYS' BASKETBALL



Standing: Albert May, Jerry Farmer, Julian Upchurch, Carol Corbett, Sammy Jackson, John Corbett, Coach C. W. Morgan. *Kneeling:* Gerald Green, Durward Stallings, Richard Morgan, Rudy Johnson, Karl Barbee.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE '49 SEASON

Spring Hope	38	Bailey	39
Spring Hope	31	Nashville	50
Spring Hope	31	Louisburg	30
Spring Hope	35	Bunn	34
Spring Hope	30	Red Oak	33
Spring Hope	39	Middlesex	25
Spring Hope	45*	Benvenue	43
Spring Hope	42	Warrenton	30
Spring Hope	26	Whitakers	27
Spring Hope	43	Coopers	41

* Overtime.

Standing: John Corbett, Opie Bass, Kinsey Winstead, Philip Medlin, Gregory Hathaway, Carl Coppedge, Coach C. W. Morgan, Adolphus Batchelor, Ronald Braswell, Karl Barbee, Milton Turner, Kenneth Matthews, Standley Bass.

BASEBALL

With seven lettermen returning, Coach E. J. Gomedella's boys managed to win seven of sixteen games in 1948. The boys got off to a good start but about midway of the season it seemed the entire team suffered a batting slump.

The outstanding series of the season was with Nashville. Nashville was host to Spring Hope on Monday when a seventeen inning pitching duel took place between Ed Wheless of Nashville and Wilmer Brantley of our school. The final outcome was a 2 and 1 victory for Nashville. The following Friday these two same teams battled to another seventeen inning game with Nashville again winning by a score of 8 to 7. These games were typical of the hard luck season Spring Hope experienced.

SCHEDULE

Spring Hope	6	Bailey	2
Spring Hope	8	Nashville	5
Spring Hope	0	Red Oak	7
Spring Hope	3	Bunn	12
Spring Hope	4	Benvenue	0
Spring Hope	7	Whitakers	1
Spring Hope	4	Bunn	2
Spring Hope	9	Benvenue	9
Spring Hope	1	Middlesex	4
Spring Hope	1	Middlesex	4
Spring Hope	7	Nashville	8
Spring Hope	7	Nashville	8
Spring Hope	2	Rocky Mount	7
Spring Hope	1	Nashville	2
Spring Hope	14	Red Oak	7
Spring Hope	4	Bailey	7

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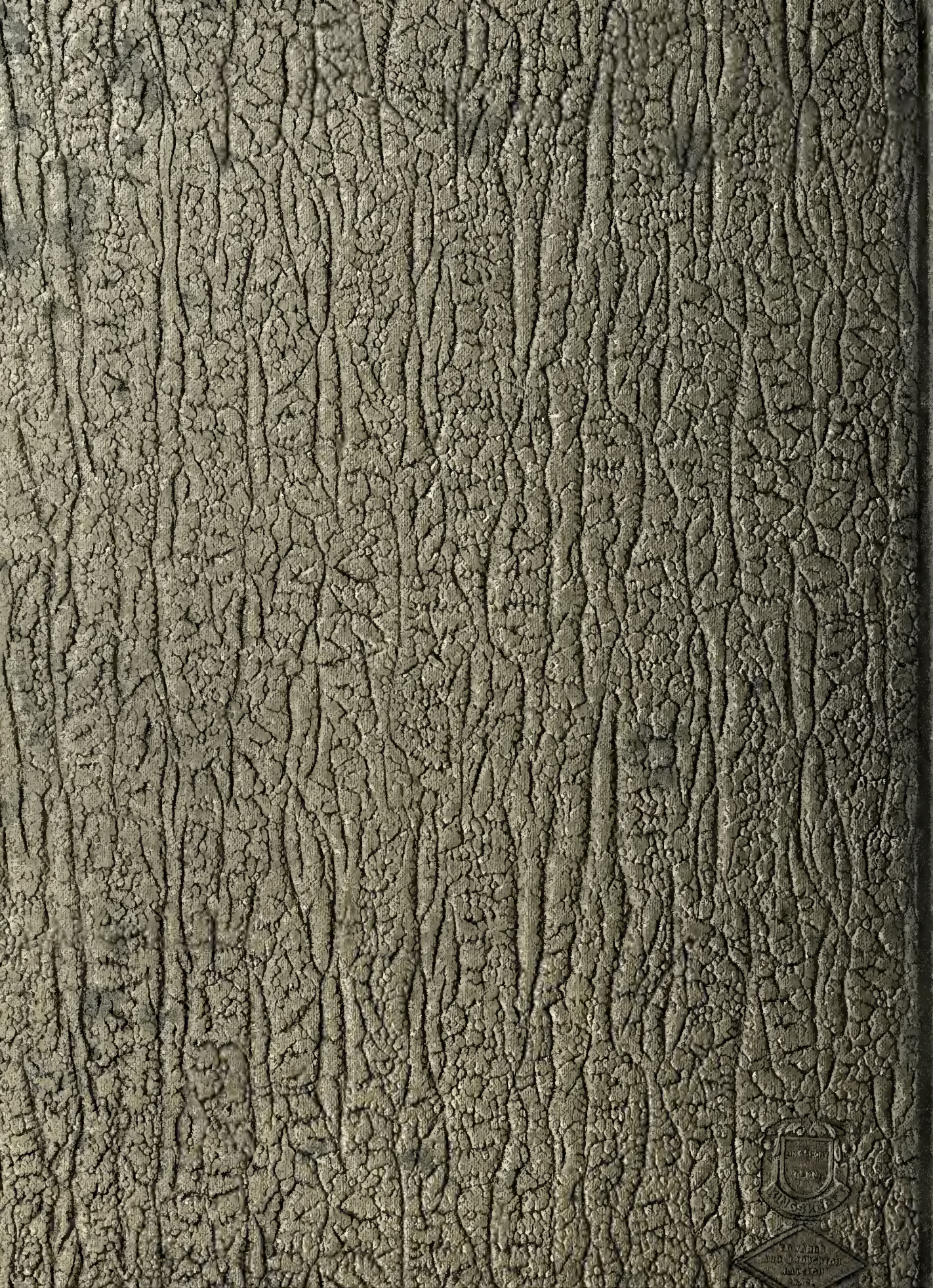
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